

**PROJECT FACT SHEET
CONSTRUCTION GENERAL**

PROJECT NAME AND STATE: Three Rivers Wet Weather Demonstration Project,
Allegheny County, PA

LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION: Allegheny County has over 80 communities with sanitary sewer systems that overflow raw sewage into streams and rivers during wet weather. This 200 square mile area contains a population of approximately 850,000. Project would consist of technical, planning, design and construction assistance to the Three Rivers Wet Weather Demonstration Program (3RWWDP). Assistance would be to priority areas of the County which are under a court order by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to eliminate sanitary sewer overflows. The 3RWWDP is a partnership of regulatory agencies, municipalities, governmental and environmental groups working to develop solutions to eliminate sanitary sewer overflows.

TOTAL PROJECT COST: \$10,000,000

Total Federal Cost: TBD

Total Non-Federal Cost: TBD

NON-FEDERAL SPONSOR: Current Phase: ALCOSAN

CURRENT STATUS: The District entered into a Design Agreement in September 2002 for the preparation of a Planning, Design and Analysis report for the separation of storm and sanitary sewers in Sheradan Park. Preliminary results indicated a need for additional monitoring to narrow down the areas where the greatest amount of water is infiltrating into the sanitary system. Due to this increased scope, Phase I of this report is now scheduled to be completed in August 2003, in lieu of June 2003. The final stakeholders meeting was held on July 8, 2003. The final report is scheduled to be completed in August 2003. Phase II will be initiated in FY 2003 and continue through FY 2004. Homestead Run has been identified as another potential project. The District met with local interests on July 17, 2003 and will initiate the preparation of a PSP this Fiscal Year leading to the execution of a design agreement with the local sponsor.

AUTHORIZATION: Section 219, Water Resources Development Act of 1992, 106 stat. 4835 (Public Law 102-580) as amended by Section 108 of the Consolidated and Omnibus Appropriations Act of 2001.

CONGRESSIONAL INTEREST: Hart (PA-4), Doyle (PA-14), Murphy (PA-18)

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